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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of <u>Robert S. BLOCK</u> for <u>METHOD</u>

<u>AND APPARATUS FOR INFORMATION LABELING AND CONTROL</u>. This application is a continuation-in-part application of Application U.S. Serial No. 08/576,486, filed December 21, 1995, the disclosure of which is expressly incorporated here by reference.

Also enclosed are:				
[X] 14 sheets of [] formal [X] informal drawings;				
[] an Associate Power of Attorney;				
[X] 1 verified statement claiming small entity status will follow;				
[] an Assignment document;				
[] an Information Disclosure Statement; and				
[X] Other: <u>Information Sheet</u>				
The declaration of the inventor(s) [] also is enclosed [X] will follow.				

The filing fee has been calculated as follows [] and in accordance with the enclosed preliminary amendment:

CLAIMS					
	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Basic Application Fee					\$ 750.00
Total Claims	37	MINUS 20 =	17	x \$22 =	\$ 374.00
Independent Claims	11	MINUS 3 =	8	x \$78 =	\$ 624.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$250.00					-0-
Total Application Fee					\$ 1,748.00
If verified statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					\$ 874.00
Add Assignment Recording Fee of \$40.00 if Assignment document is enclosed					-0-
TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE				\$ 874.00	

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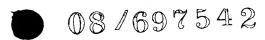
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INFORMATION SHEET

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As the above-identified application is being filed without an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, the following information is provided:

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